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A lady in Evansville offers to trans-
late French war orphans' letters.

Trigg, Todd and Hopkins counties,
all adjoining Christian, have had sons
killed in France.

The total tobacco sold in Kentucky
in July was 2,503,810 pounds at an
average price of \$15.05. Hopkins-
ville sold more than any other mar-
ket.

Subs sank three ships off the Nan-
tucket coast in four days. The Brit-
ish steamer Penistone, 4,000 tons,
was sunk off Nantucket Aug. 11, the
Swedish steamer Sydland, New
England, yesterday, and also the
American schooner Herman Winter.
The Sydland's crew was saved.

How the general situation on the
western front strikes Holland may
be indicated by a cartoon in Satur-
day's Amsterdam Telegraph showing
the American eagle with President
Wilson's face, in a deadly combat
with the Prussian eagle, with Em-
peror William's face, the latter eagle
being in a sadly disheveled state.

The Cologne Volks Zeitung advises
the people to keep their spirits up,
indicating that Sunday was a day of
depression. "In Cologne it was the
day of the defeatists," the newspaper
declares. "With anxiety on their
faces, they stood together exchanging
their fears and discussing the
dark prospects."

Another woman's party demonstra-
tion in protest against the senate de-
lay in acting on the federal suffrage
amendment was broken up Monday
by the police in Washington. Thirty-
eight women participating, banner
carriers and speakers, were arrested
as they assembled before the LaFay-
ette statue in the square opposite
the white house. The police took
from them the banners and ribbons
which they carried and after detain-
ing the women about an hour, re-
leased them with instructions to ap-
pear in police court Tuesday.

There has been desperate hand to
hand fighting during the last two
days on the Chaulnes-Roye-Laasigny-
Noyon front. The Germans are de-
fending the ground inch by inch,
intent on saving the bulk of the
armies of Generals von der Marwitz
and Von Hutler, which are retreat-
ing in the direction of Nesle and
Ham. The allied pressure has not
been diminished but the Germans
have brought up reserves which had
been intended for offensive purposes
and have thrown them into the de-
fense action, temporarily delaying
the progress of the allies.

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Baby Show Aug. 27

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THE WATCH UPON THE RHINE.

The Courier-Journal has already
commented on its dispatch from Ed-
win L. James, with the American
army, reporting that the Kaiser is
forming an army of 500,000 picked
men, a sort of Prussian Guard of
Kaiserism, to stand back of the Rhine
and defend German soil from inva-
sion.

It may be added that there are
not 500,000 picked men among the
Germans whose might will be suf-
ficient to prevent the army of the
Allies from crossing the Rhine when
they get to that historic stream.
There are far more than 500,000
rawboned Americans who will consid-
er the fight, and the fun, just be-
ginning when they reach the Rhine,
and who would be mightily disap-
pointed if they should have to re-
turn to America without having
crossed the Rhine. Nothing but or-
ders from their own officers could
force them to do so. No Prussian
guard of 500,000 could hold them
back.

The picked army of 500,000 be-
yond the Rhine will serve as an in-
centive to the Americans, the French,
the British, but more especially to
the Americans, to whom monarchy
never was tolerable even when
quiescent, and to whom Wilhelm II.
is nothing more than a contemptible
upstart who deserves and must re-
ceive the punishment of humiliation
beyond the Rhine.—Courier-Journal.

MIGHT HAVE WAITED.

Ashland, Ky., Aug. 11.—Col.
Douglas Putman, 80 years old, com-
mitted suicide at his home here to-
day by slashing his throat with a
razor.

GOVERNMENT SENDS
AN URGENT CALL.

The President of the Civil-Service
Commission recently wired:

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CONGRESS TO HANG ON
TILL ELECTION TIME.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Congress
with its legislative program jammed
with revenue, draft power and other
important bills will not adjourn until
just before the November elections,
according to a prediction today by
Speaker Clark after he had surveyed
the situation.

He said that while the ways and
means committee is planning to re-
port the revenue bill when the house
resembles a week from tomorrow,
the administration bill for general
development of waterpower, by pre-
vious agreement, has the right of way
and can only be displaced by unani-
mous consent. The revenue bill will
have finished its committee stage,
according to Chairman Kitchin's
plans, so it can be considered when-

ever the house is ready and it was
been announced the draft extension
bill will be considered promptly in
the house military committee with
hearings.

Despite Chairman Kitchin's plan
from the outset to avoid resort to the
tariff in the pending eight billion
revenue bill, some committee senti-
ment apparently has turned today
toward the feasibility of a war time
increase on a limited number of cus-
tom items.

A tax of 5 per cent, or approxi-
mately that rate, on gifts of all kinds
without qualification for the period
of the war, was favored by Dep. Hull
of Tennessee, one of the democratic
leaders of the committee and the
author of the tax law.

Eyes tested, lenses ground.
HARDWICK.

THE FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN.

The campaign for the Fourth
Liberty Loan will begin September
28 and close October 19. The result
of the loan will be watched with keen
interest in Europe, not only by our
associates in the war against the
Teutonic powers but by our ene-
mies. It will be regarded by them
as a measure of the American peo-
ple's support of the war.

The Germans know full well the
tremendous weight and significance
of popular support of the war, of
the people at home backing up the
Army in the field. As the loan suc-
ceeds our enemies will sorrow; as
it fails short they will help and en-
courage the American soldiers and
hurt and depress the enemies of
America.

The loan will be a test of the

loyalty and willingness of the people
of the United States to make sacri-
fices compared with the willingness
of our soldiers to do their part.
There must be and will be no failure
by the people to measure up to the
courage and devotion of our men in
Europe. Many of them have given
up their lives; shall we at home
withhold our money? Shall we
spare our dollars while they spare
not their very lives?

LOANS TO OUR ALLIES.

The United States Treasury has
extended additional credits of \$100,-
000,000 to France, \$9,000,000 to
Belgium, and \$3,000,000 to Serbia.
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associates in the war against Ger-
many is now \$6,492,040,000.

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